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Applicant(s): Youbao PENG et al

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Serial No. : 10/692,267

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For : FIXING DEVICE FOR USE IN  
IMAGE FORMING APPARATUS

  
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Examiner : Sandra L. Brase

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**AMENDMENT**

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This is responsive to the Office Action mailed  
March 10, 2005, the term for response to which expires on  
June 10, 2005.

**Amendments to the Claims** are set forth in the listing of  
claims which begins on page 2 of this paper. Claims 1, 3-5, 7  
and 8 are amended, and claims 2, 6 and 9-38 are maintained.

**Remarks** begin on page 25 of this paper.